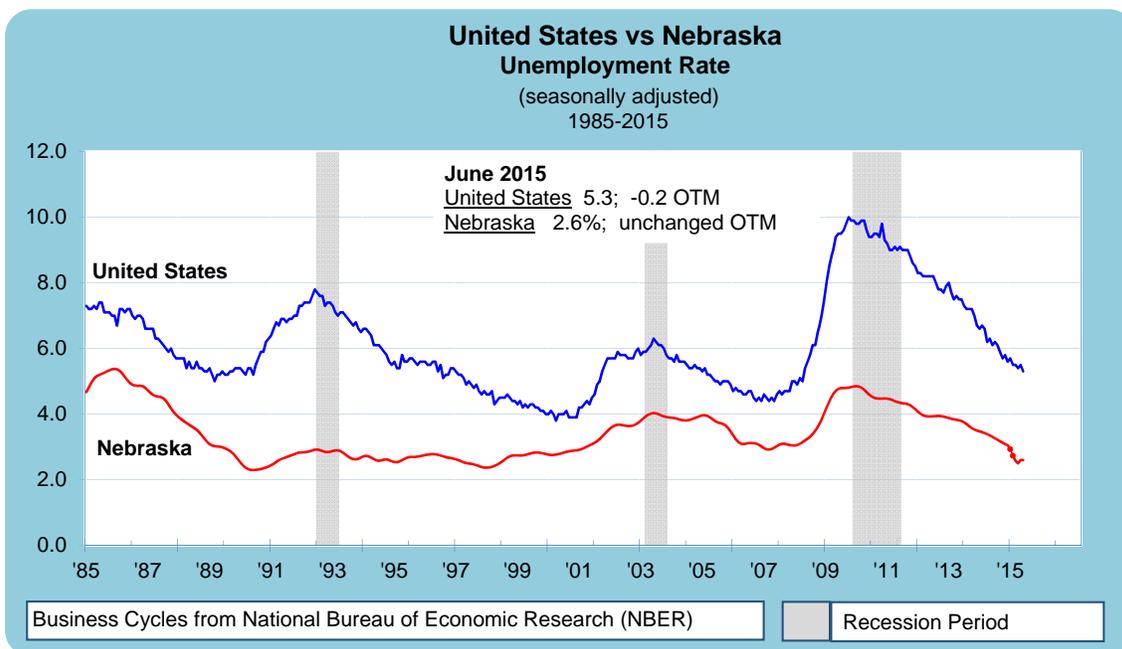


### Labor Force Employment<sup>1</sup> by Place of Residence

- ❑ **Nebraska** (smoothed seasonally adjusted)
  - **June** unemployment rate: 2.6%
  - Change (OTM): unchanged at 2.6%
  - Change (OTY): -0.7
- ❑ **Revisions to May Data**
  - Unemployment rate: unchanged at 2.6%
  - Labor Force: 167
  - Unemployment: 35
  - Employment: 132
- ❑ **Economic Regions** (not seasonally adjusted)
  - Central: 2.7%
  - Mid Plains: 2.7%
  - Northeast: 3.1%
  - Panhandle: 3.1%
  - Sandhills: 2.6%
  - Southeast: 3.1%

### Work Force Employment<sup>2</sup> by Place of Work

- ❑ **Nebraska** (not seasonally adjusted)
  - **June Total Non-farm:** 1,007,608
  - Change (OTM): -696 (-0.1%)
  - Change (OTY): 6,082 (0.6%)
- ❑ **Manufacturing:** 95,323
  - Change (OTM): 163 (0.2%)
  - Change (OTY): -2,242 (-2.3%)
- ❑ **Average Weekly Hours:** 42.1 hours
  - Change (OTM): -0.6 hours (-1.4%)
  - Change (OTY): -0.1 hours (-0.2%)
- ❑ **Average Weekly Earnings:** \$742.22
  - Change (OTM): -\$19.55 (-2.6%)
  - Change (OTY): \$26.93 (3.8%)
- ❑ **Average Hourly Earnings:** \$17.63
  - Change (OTM): -\$0.21 (-1.2%)
  - Change (OTY): \$0.68 (4.0%)



Labor Force Estimates – Nebraska (Smoothed Seasonally Adjusted) <sup>1</sup>						
	Preliminary	Revised		Change		% Change
	Jun-15	May-15	Jun-14 <sup>4</sup>	OTM	OTY	OTM
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	2.6	2.6	3.3	0.0	-0.7	---
<b>Labor Force</b>	1,009,393	1,012,425	1,022,244	-3,032	-12,851	-0.3
<i>Unemployment</i>	26,628	25,902	33,810	726	-7,182	2.8
<i>Employment</i>	982,765	986,523	988,434	-3,758	-5,669	-0.4

<sup>1</sup> Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS), Nebraska Dept. of Labor and U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

<sup>2</sup> Source: Current Employment Statistics (CES), Nebraska Dept. of Labor and U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

<sup>3</sup> Source: Unemployment Insurance, ETA 203 report

<sup>4</sup> Benchmarked in 2014

### Unemployment Insurance Claims<sup>5</sup> Week Ending June 13, 2015

	Month			Change From Previous Month		Change From Previous Year	
	Jun-15	May-15	Jun-14	Count	%	Count	%
<b>Total</b>	6,257	5,573	7,318	684	12.27%	-1,061	-14.50%
<i>Agriculture, Forestry, Hunting</i>	35	44	49	-9	-20.45%	-14	-28.57%
<i>Mining</i>	25	28	20	-3	-10.71%	5	25.00%
<i>Utilities</i>	4	3	15	1	33.33%	-11	-73.33%
<i>Construction</i>	475	582	494	-107	-18.38%	-19	-3.85%
<i>Manufacturing</i>	943	849	935	94	11.07%	8	0.86%
<i>Wholesale Trade</i>	241	248	259	-7	-2.82%	-18	-6.95%
<i>Retail Trade</i>	570	571	658	-1	-0.18%	-88	-13.37%
<i>Transportation &amp; Warehouse</i>	490	201	494	289	143.78%	-4	-0.81%
<i>Information</i>	101	98	135	3	3.06%	-34	-25.19%
<i>Finance &amp; Insurance</i>	236	229	335	7	3.06%	-99	-29.55%
<i>Real Estate</i>	79	80	90	-1	-1.25%	-11	-12.22%
<i>Professional &amp; Technical Management</i>	263	252	351	11	4.37%	-88	-25.07%
<i>Administration &amp; Support</i>	42	43	45	-1	-2.33%	-3	-6.67%
<i>Educational Services</i>	469	499	656	-30	-6.01%	-187	-28.51%
<i>Health Care &amp; Social Assist.</i>	171	105	214	66	62.86%	-43	-20.09%
<i>Arts &amp; Entertainment</i>	763	660	929	103	15.61%	-166	-17.87%
<i>Accommodation &amp; Food</i>	59	48	100	11	22.92%	-41	-41.00%
<i>Other Services</i>	584	384	731	200	52.08%	-147	-20.11%
<i>Public Administration</i>	134	120	166	14	11.67%	-32	-19.28%
<i>Unclassified</i>	164	143	172	21	14.69%	-8	-4.65%
	409	386	470	23	5.96%	-61	-12.98%

Week Ending Date- Continued Claims filed during the week containing the 19<sup>th</sup> of the month, which represents unemployment experienced during the week containing the 12<sup>th</sup>

Month- ETA 203 claims are pulled for the week containing the 19<sup>th</sup> and are representative of the claims activity for the entire month

<sup>5</sup>Continued Weeks Claimed – weeks of intrastate continued weeks claims for which a waiting period credit/ payment of compensation is requested.

## **INDUSTRY EXAMPLES:**

### **Agriculture, Forestry, Hunting**

- Crops & Livestock
- Nursery & Tree Production
- Fishing & Hunting

### **Mining:**

- Sand and gravel

### **Utilities:**

- Electric & Gas

### **Construction**

- New home construction
- Remodeling
- Highway construction

### **Manufacturing:**

- Machine Shops
- Rubber Product Manufacturing
- Food Manufacturing

### **Wholesale Trade:**

- Grain Elevators
- Wholesale Grocers
- Commercial Equipment
- Wholesalers

### **Retail Trade:**

- Stores in Shopping Malls
- Grocery Stores
- Gas Stations

### **Transportation & Warehousing:**

- Trucking
- Railroads

### **Information:**

- Television and Radio Stations
- Internet Service Providers
- Telephone Companies

### **Financial & Insurance:**

- Insurance
- Banking
- Stock Brokers

### **Real Estate**

- Real Estate Agencies

### **Professional & Technical:**

- Law Offices
- Accounting
- Engineering
- Advertising Firms

### **Educational Services:**

- Private Colleges and Universities

### **Health Care & Social Assistance:**

- Hospitals
- Physicians Offices
- Childcare Centers
- Charities

### **Arts & Entertainment:**

- Artists
- Sporting Events
- Museums

### **Accommodation & Food**

- Hotels
- Restaurants

### **Other Services:**

- Appliance and Auto Repair
- Civic Groups
- Religious Organizations

### **Public Administration:**

- Public Schools
- Community Colleges
- Public Colleges and Universities
- Post Offices

### **Unclassified**